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Mr. K. David Waddell Executive Secretary Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243

IN RE: Application of Electric Power Board of Chattanooga for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Intrastate Telecommunications Services. Docket No. 97-07488

Dear Mr. Waddell:

This is to inform the Authority that NEXTLINK will not be filing testimony in the above captioned docket. We do, however, intend to file briefs and participate fully in any hearings held in this matter.

Singerely,

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